IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re application of:

Geoffrey B. Rhoads

Application No.: 09/804,679

Filed: March 12, 2001

MEDIA COMMERCE SYSTEM

EMPLOYING WATERMARKS

Examiner: U. Raman

Date: April 1, 2005

Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116

Expedited Procedure

Art Unit: 2616 Conf. No.: 1863

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed December 2, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1-9. (Fee of \$500.00)

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time from March 2, 2005 to April 2, 2005. If any additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Please charge \$620,00 (fee for Notice of Appeal and Extension of time) and any additional fees which may be required in connection with the filing of these papers or credit any over-payment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3284.

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